# SiteManager Training Manual



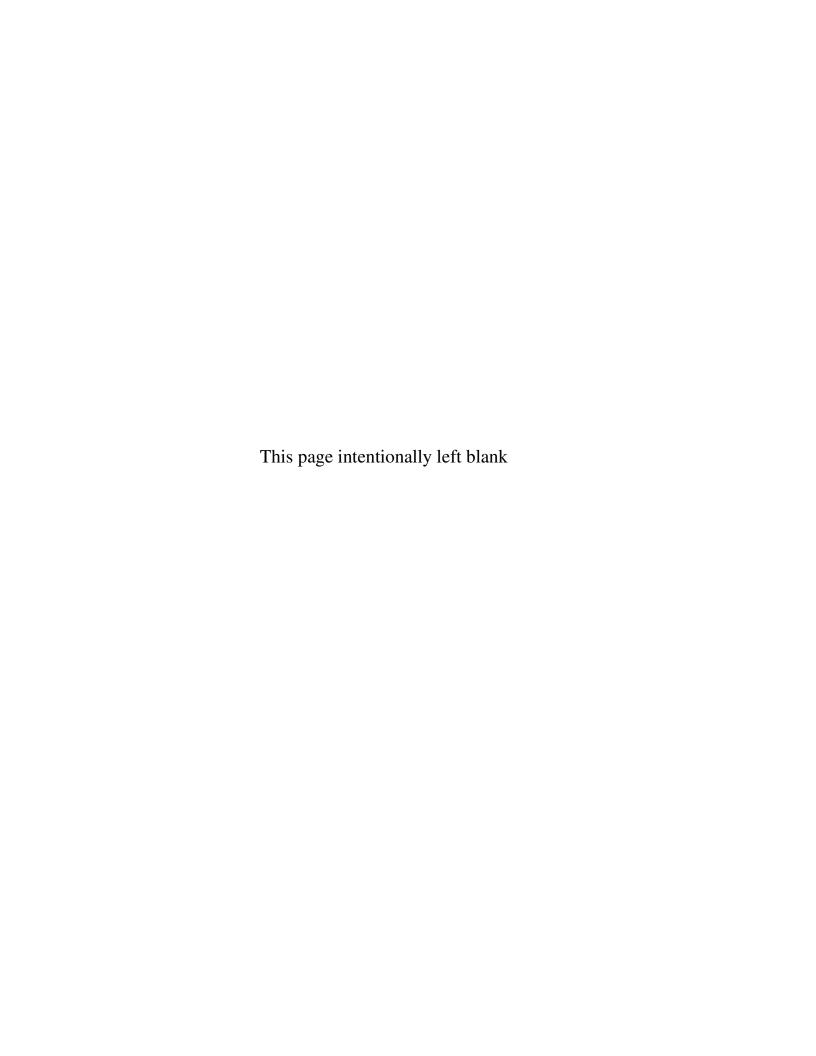
Module F
Chapter 5
Materials Management (+)

Sampling and Testing (+)

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Find Sample

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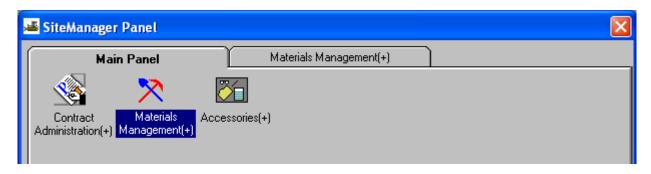
# **Find Sample**

This module will explain how to search for a sample record(s) by matching selected parameters.

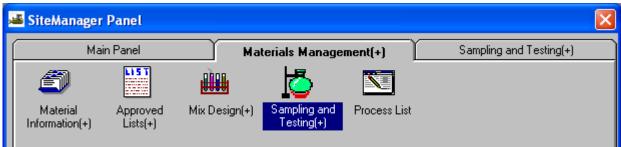
This window is used when limited information is known about a sample. This window will not be used when the Sample ID is already known.

Selecting multiple parameters will reduce the number of records that will be returned. One or a combination of parameters can be used to search for sample records.

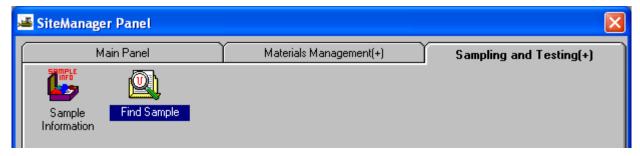
It is important to note that in order for any sample to be shown, it must meet all the parameter selected in the **Find Sample Parameters** window. For example, if two parameters are selected, and a given sample meets only one of the two parameters, it will not be shown on the list.



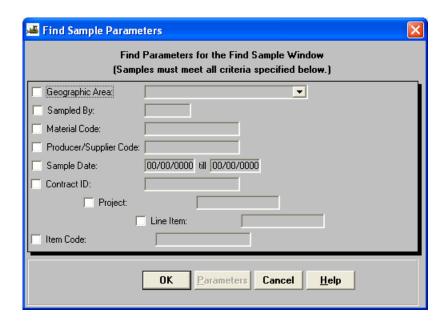
"Double-click" on Materials Management (+) located on the Main Panel.



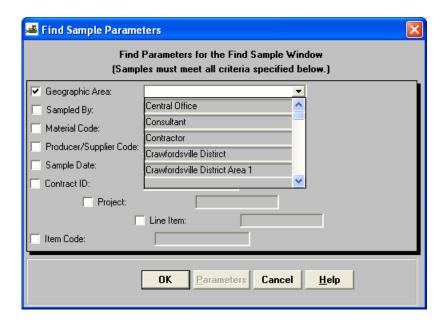
"Double-click" on Sampling and Testing (+).



"Double-click" on Find Sample.

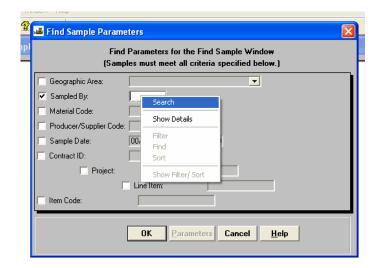


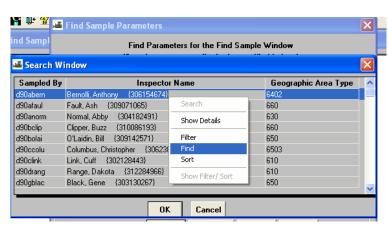
The **Find Sample Parameters** window opens. A combination of parameters can be used to narrow the search for the sample.



**Geographic Area**: selecting this parameter results in a list of sample records specific to the area where the material was sampled.

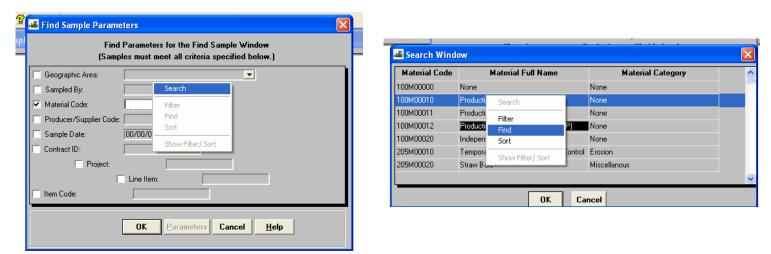
"Click" on the **Geographic Area** check-box, if applicable. "Click" on the appropriate **Geographic Area** from the drop-down list.





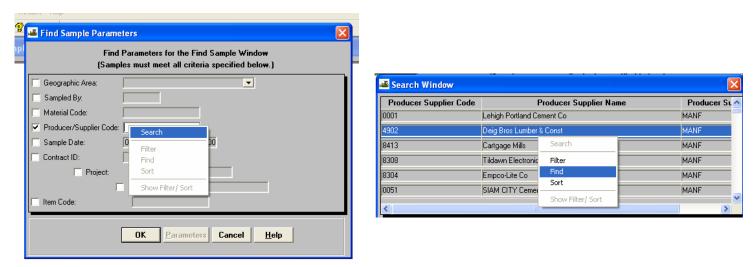
**Sampled By**: Selecting this parameter results in a list of sample records specific to the sampler's user ID.

"Click" on the **Sampled By** check-box, if applicable. "Right-click" in the **Sampled By** field and "click" on **Search**. Use the Scroll or Find/Filter/Sort technique to locate the appropriate sampler. "Double-click" on the appropriate **Sampled By** user id.



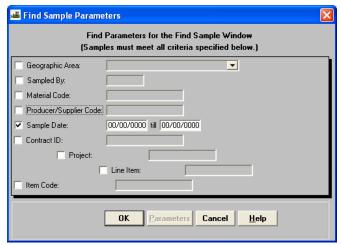
Material Code: Selecting this parameter results in a list of sample records specific to the material code selected.

"Click" on the **Material Code** check-box, if applicable. "Right-click" in the **Material Code** field and "click" on **Search**. Use the Scroll or Find/Filter/Sort technique to locate the appropriate sampler. "Double-click" the appropriate **Material Code**.



**Producer/Supplier Code**: Selecting this parameter results in a list of sample records specific to the Producer/Supplier Code selected.

"Click" on the **Producer/Supplier Code** check-box, if applicable. "Right-click" in the **Producer/Supplier Code** field and "click" on **Search**. Use the Scroll or Find/Filter/Sort technique to locate the appropriate sampler. "Double-click" the appropriate **Producer Supplier Code**.



**Sample Date:** Selecting this parameter results in a list of sample records specific to the range of sample dates entered. Be careful here, because the date format for this field is different then any other date field within SM. All four digits are required for the year. A date must be entered in both fields. If only one date is to be searched, enter the same date in both fields.

**Contract ID**: **Contract ID** is the identification number assigned to the contract.

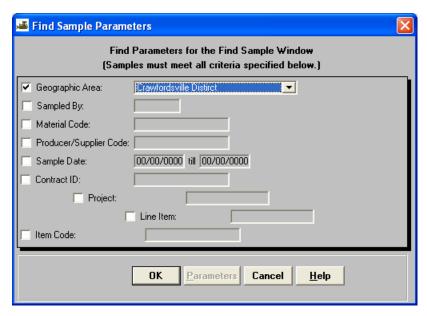
**Project**: **Project** is the unique identifier for the project.

Line Item: Line Item is the bid proposal line number for the work item.

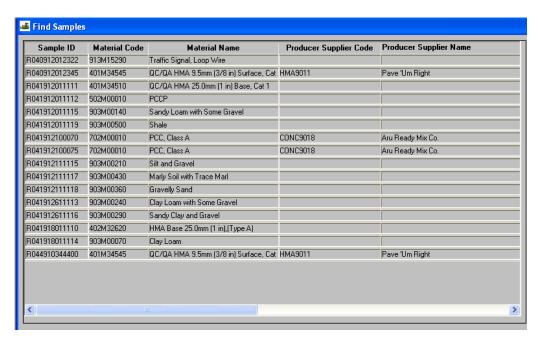
**Item Code** is the INDOT defined code describing the work item.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Click" on the **Sample Date** check-box, if applicable.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Enter" the start date and ending date in the **Sample Date** fields in the mmddyyyy format.



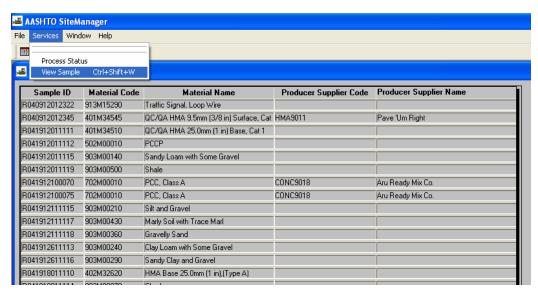
After all known parameters are set, "click" the **OK** button.



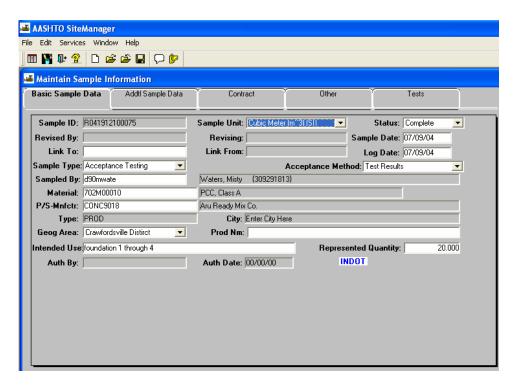
A list of all Sample Records matching all the parameters that were selected will appear.

The list can be put into ascending order but there is no other search or find available. To find the desired sample, the scroll bar will need to be used to move up and down a large list of sample records.

If a new search is desired, click the **Open** icon on the tool bar. This will open a new parameter window. Set the new search parameters and click **OK** again and the new list will appear.



Once the desired sample is located and highlighted, "click" on **Services** on the toolbar and "click" on **View Sample**. Otherwise, "click" the **Close** icon to exit the **Find Samples** window.



The selected Sample Record opens.

### F-5-2-1Group Exercise

In the following exercise, you will find a sample record created by d90rreel,

Log into SM as <u>inquire</u> Password <u>pass</u>

Navigation from Main Panel:

Double-click on **Material Management** (+) icon Double-click on **Sample and Testing** (+) icon Double-click on **Find Sample** icon

Click the **Sample By** check box (ON).

Using the *right* mouse button, click the **Sampled By** field.

From the object menu, click the **Search** choice.

In the list box, scroll to and click the d90rreel.

Click **Ok**.

Click Ok.

Click the **Close** button.

## F-5-2-1 Individual Exercise #1

Find all sample records for Material code 401M34545

### F-5-2-1 Individual Exercise #2

Find all sample records created in LaPorte District geographic area.